

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: KOBAYASHI
Application No.: 10/563,302
Filed: 1/4/2006
Title: ELECTROSTATIC CHUCK FOR SUBSTRATE STAGE, ELECTRODE USED
FOR THE CHUCK, AND TREATING SYSTEM HAVING THE CHUCK AND
ELECTRODE
Art Unit: 2836 Exr.: T. MAI **CONF. No.: 8395**

SUBMISSION OF RCE WITH AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.114
and
STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

MS: RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 14, 2010

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 14, 2009, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.114, noting that the present Amendment is being filed together with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims;

Remarks are included following the amendments.